

*Friday, February 3, 1995*

# *Daily Digest*

## Senate

### *Chamber Action*

*Routine Proceedings, pages S2075–S2146*

**Measures Introduced:** Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 351–356. Page S2124

**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows: S. 178, to amend the Commodity Exchange Act to extend the authorization for the Commodity Futures Trading Commission. (S. Rept. No. 104–7)

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**Balanced Budget Constitutional Amendment:** Senate continued consideration of H.J. Res. 1, proposing a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution of the United States. Pages S2084–S2119

Pending:

Daschle motion to commit the resolution, with instructions to report back forthwith, with Daschle Amendment No. 231, to require a budget plan before the amendment takes effect. Pages S2089–S2119

Dole Amendment No. 232 (with instructions to commit), to establish that if Congress has not passed a Balanced Budget Amendment to the Constitution by May 1, 1995, within 60 days thereafter, the President shall transmit to Congress a detailed plan to balance the budget by the year 2002.

Pages S2090–S2119

Dole Amendment No. 233 (to Amendment No. 232), in the nature of a substitute. Pages S2090–S2119

Senate will resume consideration of the resolution on Monday, February 6.

**Unfunded Mandate Reform:** Senate disagreed to the amendments of the House to S. 1, to curb the practice of imposing unfunded Federal mandates on States and local governments; to strengthen the partnership between the Federal Government and State, local, and tribal governments; to end the imposition, in the absence of full consideration by Congress, of Federal mandates on State, local, and tribal governments without adequate funding, in a manner that may displace other essential governmental priorities; and to ensure that the Federal Government pays the costs incurred by those governments in complying with certain requirements under Federal statutes and

regulations, agreed to the request of the House for a conference thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Roth, Domenici, Kempthorne, Glenn, and Exon. Pages S2140–45

**Messages From the President:** Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the report on the national emergency with Haiti; referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM–8).

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Transmitting the report of a proclamation to amend the Generalized System of Preferences; referred to the Committee on Finance. (PM–9).

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**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

Eldon E. Fallon, of Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

Routine lists in the Coast Guard, Air Force, Army, Marine Corps. Pages S2145–46

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**Recess:** Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 4:55 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Monday, February 6, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page S2145.)

### *Committee Meetings*

No committee meetings were held.